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In re Application of
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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Defective Response mailed December 5, 2001, enclosed herewith is the verified English language translation in the above-identified application together with a copy of Notification Form..

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1. Any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.
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3. Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims

It is submitted that with the filing of the above documents, the application is complete and may be submitted for examination by the Patent and Trademark Office.

Respectfully submitted,

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I, Peter Nelles, do hereby certify that I am an experienced translator, knowledgeable in both the English and German languages, that I have made the attached translation from German to English of the patent application titled "Method and device for simultaneously determining the adhesion, the friction and other material properties of a sample surface", as well the amended portion of the specification and the amended claims in the amended application, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, these are true and complete renderings into English of the original documents in German.

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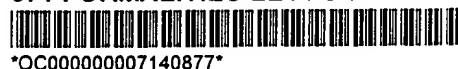
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- Copy of the International Search Report
- Oath or Declaration
- Request for Immediate Examination

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English.
- Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than the appropriate 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of **ONE MONTH** from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended up to a maximum of six months.

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Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

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